

Senate Resolution 1347

By: Senators Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Brown of the 26th, Jackson of the 2nd, Jones of the 10th, Seay of the 34th and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Georgia's African American Horse Council Community
2 Advocates; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, African American cowboys and cowgirls of Georgia diligently and
4 conscientiously devote their time, talents, and energy to giving back to their community
5 through education programs and community service efforts; and

6 WHEREAS, these talented individuals conduct hippotherapy, therapeutic horseback riding
7 lessons, equine education, and work with at-risk and disadvantaged youth; and

8 WHEREAS, Georgia's African American Horse Council is committed to improving Georgia
9 communities one horseback ride at a time; and

10 WHEREAS, passionate for animals and youth, Georgia's African American cowboys and
11 cowgirls reach out to their communities to instill a love of nature and animals in schools,
12 teaching youth that they are the future and the future is worth loving; and

13 WHEREAS, these dedicated community servants include Charles "Chucky" Brown, Darrell
14 Brown, Roman Brown, Joey Cameron, Jessie Davis, Yvonne Edwards, Clifton Ford,
15 Reginald "Ray Ray" Gates, Thad Reye Heard, Lawrence Henderson, William Ray
16 Higginbottom, Ruby Johnson, Willie Joe Johnson, Jerome Lawrence, Julius Mitchell,
17 Anthony Monts, Reese Queen, "Big" Rick Reeves, Stephanie Reid, James Harold Robinson,
18 Dorsey "Fox" Solomon, Ted Story, Kevias Walker, Cecil White, Daymetrie D. Williams, and
19 Stephanie Williams; and

20 WHEREAS, thanks to the dedicated efforts of George Turner, Gerri Pringle, Daymetrie D.
21 Williams, and Jessica L. Robinson, the Horse Council's cowboy and cowgirl community
22 advocates had the opportunity to visit the state capitol during the 2010 legislative session to
23 meet with elected officials; and

24 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary accomplishments of
25 these distinguished Georgians be appropriately recognized.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
27 commend Georgia's African American Horse Council Community Advocates for their
28 dedicated efforts to improving the lives of children and recognize their exemplary
29 community service.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
31 to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to each of Georgia's African American Horse
32 Council cowboys and cowgirls.